

Early Files

TEN YEARS AGO JUNE 7, 1973

Wilkerson.

***First Poem Published: "Snow" - Snow came to our town, / It started with a sheet, then a foot, then a dozen. / Pictures were taken, and games were played / Soon all of town was half unmade; / Snowmen were built with great success, / But then it started melting, and oh, what a mess! Lynn Whitehurst, age 12.

***Little Debbie Griffin, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Griffin, is the proud recipient of an unusual high chair. Not only is it a high chair, but the 100 dollar value chair also serves as a stroller and just regular sitting chair. The chair was purchased by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snellgrove, and Mr. Snellgrove's refined taste added a tray and made a new seat of pressed cane. The chair can be raised and lowered as desired.

***Little Miss Pamela Adison was honored on her third birthday Tuesday, May 29. She is the daughter of Frances Lawford Adison of Elba. Rt. 5, and of Max Adison, also of Elba.

***Mrs. Eva P. Medlock retired last week after 38 years of service at the schools of Coffee County. She began her career in Newbie, taught at Ino and completed teaching at Kinston after 27 years.

***Cadet Timothy D. Windham, mechanical engineering student at Auburn, was recognized during ceremonies recently and received the recent American Legion ROTC Award. Windham, the son of Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Windham of Rt. 4, Elba, is a 1968 graduate of New Brockton High School.

TWENTY YEARS AGO JUNE 6, 1963

***A swarm of bees set up housekeeping in the living room of the Flournoy Whitman residence this Spring. The chimney has been closed as it was not being used, but the bees came in through a tiny hole in the chimney.

***R.W. (Bill) DeVaughan, who resides on a farm on Elba Rt. 3, brought in the first cotton bloom for this year. DeVaughan has 100 acres in cotton which was planted the first week in March.

***Through the Keyhole: with Mrs. Robert Clegg. A farewell party was given Thursday evening by Ann and Jan Young, twin daughters of the John Young, Jr., fourth-graders. The honored guests were Boaly and Charles Lawrence, grandsons of Rev. R.L. Lawrence. Supper was a winter meal and helping hands were Sup-Yone Sammie Water and Dixie Bryant. The evening was climaxed by a ride home from the farm in the back of the truck.

***Linda Tice was honored on her 18th birthday Wednesday, May 29, when Miss Barbara Skinner was hostess for a surprise party at the pool. Mrs. Jimmie Tice and Carla served donuts, C-cups and chips to Barbara, Susan Sondergaard, Judy Phelps, Jimmie Lou Warren, Daie Smiti, Nina Smith, JoAnne Stone, Joan Bradshaw, Dot Wilkerson and Jean

MacArthur Tech Lists

All A Students

The spring quarter honor roll has been announced at MacArthur State Technical College. Those who made all A's from this area are:

Elba: John C. Dale, R. Todd, Beth A. Davis, Reginald S. Williams, Tommy W. Jernigan, Bobby G. Chappell, Jr., Vicki S. Webster and Stanley M. Minton, Jr.

JACK: Waldemar A. Drewnikoff, Virgil C. Rodgers and Timothy C. Burnett.

Aleah Hudson Is Elected County Commissioner At Girls State

Aleah Hudson, an Elba High School student was elected to the office of County Commissioner during the annual session of

Alabama Girls State at Huntington College in Montgomery during the week of May 29 through June 3. The daughter of Mr. and

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By FERRIN COX

Jake Bonneau stopped by the office and commented on our thoughts about child abuse last week. He liked what we said but noted we had missed a golden opportunity to urge parents with problems to call their mental health office rather than taking out their frustrations on an innocent child. This slow-thinking country boy has trouble getting it all together, but Jake, who has been very active in the mental health program, is right - they have experts who can help with those pent-up frustrations that seem to be crashing in on you.

Another regular reader, who will go unnamed, agreed with our stand on child abusers, but asked that we not mention such things any more. He was speaking with tongue-in-cheek when he said he would rather stick his head in the sand and pretend such things don't happen rather than be painfully reminded of the facts. This particular person is very active in many civic projects and keenly aware of the problems faced by society today; but unfortunately many of our citizens actually seem to have their heads in the sand and are not aware of the problems of their neighbors - or their neighbor's child.

Last week this writer made mention of the fact that Mrs. Lois Holt had been named to head the city school board. We said she was "elected to chair the board." We were trying so hard not to use the phrase "chairperson" which we detest, that it was not until this week that we named retiring chairman Paul King to be the vice-chairperson. Actually Butch Ogg is the vice-chairperson. Someday I will get used to not always using chairman, but by that time some crusading lady will find fault with women and demand we call all females ladies... but that will change the meaning of the word "lady" and again cause me a bunch of brain trouble.

We caught a few little bream Saturday afternoon, fishing with our breamusters and crickets. We also caught a female bass loaded with eggs! Here it is the middle of June and that batch of eggs still hadn't laid. We knew the spring bedding season was messed up for the bream by all that rain and cold, but didn't realize the bass suffered also. We now are positive with our beliefs that it wasn't just the blundering fisherman's fault that we didn't hear as many reports of record bream catches on that full moon in May.

Paul Windham isn't content with retirement after selling his two manufacturing firms. He has invented a gismo to inject a measured amount of liquid feed into a hole of hay; and the initial reaction of cattlemen is exciting. Rather than try to explain the operation of Paul's tool, we suggest you watch Gena Ragan this Saturday at 5 p.m. (That is Channel 4, Dothan) where it will be featured in a film made this week in Elba.

We have been intending to mention the new flower pots on the square for several weeks now. There are several businesses that have placed redwood planters in front of their businesses and it is a marked improvement. We salute those who have done so and are confident others will follow your lead.

Nothing has been done in Elba to improve the image of the community more than the recent work by Bill McCollough. He has gone Gusty Hudson to remove several old houses or right off the Elba-New Haven Highway, hauled in some dirt to the area and is now constructing a building for a prospective commercial tenant. We salute Mr. McCollough for his actions and suggest our readers voice personal appreciation to him.

There is news media talk that the University of Alabama and Troy State are in favor of a bill to allow colleges to merge without formal approval of the legislature. We don't really care about this bill one way or another, but are amused that both deny any idea of renewing their plans to merge. Knowing how politics work, we wager that somewhere down the road, around the curve, or in the ditch... someone is still has that particular union in mind.

The Japanese have announced a little three-wheel car, soon to be sold in America. We like the idea of the three-wheeler that will cruise at 45, get 110 MPG, and are impressed with the option of a convertible or hardtop. We have never owned a foreign-made car and avoid ever considering buying them, but if one of these was offered to us at the reported \$3,000 price tag, we would probably borrow some money and buy it.

The entire remaining Pensions and Security Board resigned Monday at the county commission meeting and we feel we understand their reasoning. While it is not our place to second-guess the actions and reactions of everyone involved in the firing and rehiring of the director, maybe now a fresh start will be for the better. As it was, the board members felt they had no authority and we feel sure Smith had that natural human uneasiness that would follow the months of being fired twice, rehired after filing a lawsuit, etc. We hope when the dust settles, the new board and the P & S employees can get down to the business at hand.

BULLETIN BOARD
S.S. Rep. City Hall-1st & 3rd Tuesdays. Or Call Toll Free 44-6200
ROTARY CLUB-Mondays, noon-Holley's Restaurant
EASTERN STAR-2nd and 4th Thursdays, 7 p.m.
ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN.-Thursdays, 8:30 a.m.-Holley's Restaurant

ELBA JAYCEES-1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.-
ELBA JAYCEES-2nd Mond., 7 p.m.-WELB
ELBA CITY COUNCIL-1st & 3rd Mondays, 6 p.m.
ELBA LIBRARY-2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.-Holley's Restaurant

ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD--1st Thursday, 5 p.m.-Superintendent's Office

BWP-2nd Monday, 7 p.m.-Holley's Restaurant

AMERICAN LEGION-1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m.-Elba Hall, New Brockton

PILOT CLUB-2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.-Elba Hall

BOY SCOUTS-Mondays 7 p.m.-City Pool

RESCUE SQUAD-2nd & 4th Tues. night - 7:00 p.m.-Library

WATER & ELECTRIC BOARD--2nd Tuesday, 5 p.m.-City Hall

ELBA COMMUNICATIVE LODGE # 170 - 1st Sat. night - 3rd Mondays night - 7 p.m.

WOW LODGE #58 - 1st Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.-Masonic Hall, New Brockton

PILOT CLUB-2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.-Elba Hall

AA-Wed. 8:30 p.m., and Sun., 3-4 p.m., City Hall 897-2365 or 897-5192

BAND PARENTS-1st Mon. - 7 p.m. EHS auditorium

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No Injuries In Two Vehicle Accident

An accident involving a car and a tractor-trailer rig on Wednesday morning, June 8, resulted in major damage to the car, damage to the truck and a power pole, causing a power outage.

Miss Mobley received only minor bumps in the accident and the driver of the truck was uninjured.

Deaths

Rev. Harry Lee Addison

The Rev. Harry Lee Addison, 65, of Samson, died June 9, 1983, in a Dothan hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 10 a.m. at Westside Assembly of God in Samson, with the Revs. S.P. Bostic Jr. and C.C. Hildebrant officiating. Burial followed in the Bethany Cemetery with Pitman Funeral Home of Enterprise directing.

Rev. Addison was a native of Coffee County and had resided in Samson the past nine years. He had been in the pastorate for the past 32 years, serving in Florida, Georgia and Alabama.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes N. Addison of Samson; three daughters: Mrs. Virginia Lee Meredith of Geneva; Mrs. Janis Alford of Phenix City; and Mrs. Lolley of Opelika; three sons: Othar, Adkinson and Charles Adkinson of Blakely and Don Adkinson of Elba; two brothers: J.C. Adkinson, Dothan; and D.B. Adkinson, Hartford; two sisters: Mrs. Allie Mac Bell, Dothan, and Mrs. Barbara Worthy of Hartford and Miss Ginger Rogers, both of New Brockton; Mrs. Barbara Worthy of Hartford and Mrs. Lowell of Manhattan, KS; four sons: William E. Rogers, Glen Rogers and Timmy Rogers, all of New Brockton, and George O. Rogers, Enterprise; Mrs. Mary P. Brundidge; Mrs. Sara Terry of Phenix City, and Mrs. Virginia McDermott, Enterprise; seven grandchildren.

*Laten Print Examiner

Information and application forms may be obtained from the State Personnel Department at 200 Washington Ave., Birmingham, June 15, 1983.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, June 15, at 2 p.m. at the Elba United Methodist Church, with Rev. John Carmichael officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens with Hayes directing.

Lily Marie Williams

Mrs. Lily Marie Williams, age 67, of Elba, died Saturday, June 10, 1983, in a Birmingham Hospital.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, June 14, at 2 p.m. at Rev. W.C. Rainey officiating. Burial was in Elba Cemetery, with Hayes directing.

Survivors include her husband, Lonnie Lee Brown, Brown, Columbus, GA; one daughter: Janice DeVane, Elba; one son - Charles Pearson, Enterprise; one sister - Callie Carr, Elba; one brother - Ross Ammons, Castro Valley, CA.

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The following employment procedures will be adhered to:

Jobs In

Alabama

The Alabama State Personnel Department this week announced openings for filling present vacancies in the following positions:

Personnel Assistant I (\$1,624-\$20,223)

Personnel Assistant II (\$15,624-\$24,024)

Administrative Examiner I (\$15,423-\$23,426)

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1. An application may be received from the Coffee County School System at the following address:

Elba Police Docket

The Elba Police Dept. reports an active week with 7 arrests and 7 complaints logged. The arrests were for highway intoxication, speeding, (3), reckless driving, improper lane changes and inoperative taillights. Complaints included criminal mischief, assault third degree (2), cruelty to animals, theft of property (2)

and burglary. Following are daily reports:

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

Activity included a report of vandalism to a vehicle at Mullins Apt. (7:32 a.m.), a wreck on 125 North (7:57 a.m.), a wreck at the Jr. Food Store (3:25 p.m.), and numerous traffic citations issued.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

Activity included a request for the Rescue Squad at Smith Ave. (7:48 a.m.), a wreck on 125 North (7:57 a.m.), a wreck at the Jr. Food Store (3:25 p.m.), and numerous traffic citations issued.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

Activity included a report of a disturbance at Town and Country (10:33 p.m.).

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

Activity included a request for the Rescue Squad to Dothan (8:16 p.m.) and a disturbance at Town and Country (10:33 p.m.).

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

Activity included a report of a pole down at the city pool (8:59 a.m.), a request for a wrecker truck on Smith Ave. (9:15 a.m.), a request for the Rescue Squad at a home on 84 East (2:26 p.m.) and a disturbance at the hospital parking lot (11:13 p.m.).

MONDAY, JUNE 13

Activity included a wreck on Buford St. (3:07 p.m.) and a request for a cow loose on Elm Ave. in Brookdale (11:35 p.m.).

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

Activity included a report of a car on the roof of a house at 100 Elm St. (10:30 p.m.) and numerous traffic citations issued.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

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THURSDAY, JUNE 16

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FRIDAY, JUNE 17

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SATURDAY, JUNE 18

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FRIDAY, JUNE 24

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SATURDAY, JUNE 25

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SUNDAY, JUNE 26

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MONDAY, JUNE 27

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TUESDAY, JUNE 28

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

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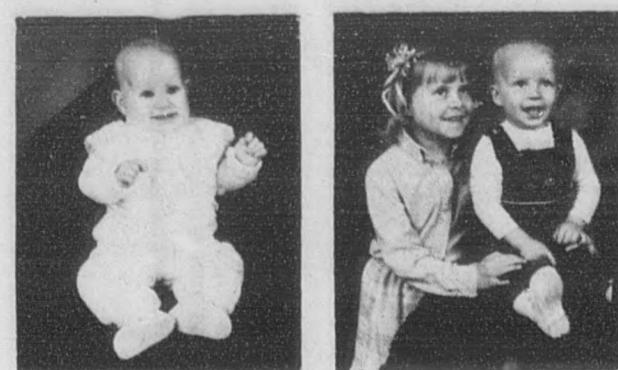
THURSDAY, JUNE 30

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Socials & News Of Local Interest

Coe Reunion
To Be Held

Citizens Of Tomorrow



Zachary Mims, age four months, son of Bruce and Paula Mims, Pine Cove Drive, Elba.

Dana Marie, age 7, and Dustin Lee, 17 months, children of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stinson, Rt. S. Elba.



Stephanie Adkison
Receives Award

Stephanie Adkison was awarded certificate for Best Citizenship at Highlands Elementary School, Dothan, Alabama, May 24, 1983.

Stephanie is daughter of Mrs. Fran Poole, Dothan, and Max Adkison of Jack.

She is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lawford of Elba and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Adkison of New Brockton, Alabama.

The ceremony began with the organ chimes striking the hour of 7. The nuptial music was provided by Mrs. Janet King at the organ and Mrs. Eula Karr Hause at the piano. Miss Lynn Hudson sang "Whither Thou Goest," and "Looking Through the Eye of Love," and Mr. Kenneth Corley sang "The Wedding Song," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Escorted by her father to the alter and given in marriage by her parents, the bride and groom exchanged formal gown of silk and taffeta. The bodice, with an overlay of Venetian lace, featured a Queen Anne neckline with brief cuffed lace sleeves and a lace-trimmed hem.

The A-line skirt ending in a chapel train was encircled with a wide flounce of crystal pleated organza with clusters of seed pearls which complemented the lace-edged, chapel-length veil of silk illusion. Motifs of the lace were applied to the skirt.

The bride's jewelry was a single strand of tiny pearls and a pair of pearl earrings, a gift from the groom.

The bride carried a colorful bouquet of Cymbidium orchids interspersed with lilies of the valley, fern leaves and baby's breath fashioned from silk and tied with streamers of pink picot ribbon.

The bride's dress was a simple gown of pale pink chiffon which also formed the sleeves.

The mother of the groom was attired in a dress of pink silk polyester featuring a jeweled neckband with a flowing carpet of chiffon.

Both mothers wore wrist corsages of white silk orchids.

RECEPTION

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley.

Stakes of lace, glass globes with burning tapers inside and tied with pink bows, graced the walkway to the front door on which hung a large, scalloped arrangement of pink silk flowers.

The guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Corley, and other guests, including the reception committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. William Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Harrison, Mrs. Mary Young, and Mrs. Pamela Smith.

The bride's table, covered in a white army/navy cloth was centered with a large Gothic fountain with a miniature fountain underneath.

The cake was the bride's favorite, a three-tier heart-shaped cake, similarly decorated. Flanking the cake was the bride's bouquet placed on a crystal pedestal and candles burning in small candle holders.

Terry Fugit, sister of the groom; Mrs. Katrina Calhoun, Misses Cynthia Jacobs, Tracie Daniels, and Barbara Brannon, all dresses were dusty rose and were identical to that of the maid of honor and each carried a similar bouquet.

Miss Cindy Creel served Miss Corley in maid of honor duties. She was dressed in a gown of pale pink chiffon. The gown featured a ruffle neckline with a slightly blouson effect. The skirt was fashioned with a diagonal cut chiffon over the waist to the floor. She carried a lace fan topped with a silk arrangement of pink roses and delicate blossoms.

The bride's bouquet was the same as the maid of honor's. It was a pink rose and carnation arrangement with a pink ribbon.

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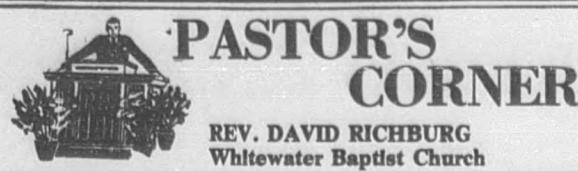
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Seek Not The Ninety Nine

We are saved to serve and to reach out to others in order to lead them to Christ Jesus and Savior.

The Bible is very clear in stating that we are to live a life committed to Jesus and seek to bring others to know Him also. Paul said: "The word came to me on the way to you."

If we are to accomplish what God intended for us to do, we must work in unity with God and each other. We will never accomplish the task God has set before us if we do not work together one another.

We as Christians are working together in a common cause with Christ as our director or at least we are supposed to be. It is sad that people are, in fact, going to hell and many churches and church people are scheming and devising ways to get one another's members by plain program or some mischievous or some conniving device. Every church in our church should be developed to strengthen Christians and reach the lost for Jesus. One of my members told me recently that he was asking what church they belonged to. When the person was told the family were members of White water Church this person told no member they would be for the family to join the caller's church.

It is sad that we are not working together as we should that we could fulfill our responsibilities of reaching the lost for Christ instead of trying to lure Christians away from another church.

Elba First Baptist Plans Bible School

Vacation Bible School will be held at Elba First Baptist Church next week, June 20-24, 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. There will be classes for four-year-olds through sixth grade children.

Included in the activities will be songs, Bible stories,



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Camp Victory

1983 Summer Schedule
June 7-10 . . . Counsellor Dean Lewis
Training . . . Grades 4-7 Speaker and Missionaries: Mr. and Mrs. Bob Atwood "Chief Eagle Feather & Singing Heart"

June 20-25 . . . Grades 6-8 Speaker: Rev. Fred Goebert Missionaries: Rev. and Mrs. Dean Lewis

June 27-July 2 . . . Grades 4-6 Speaker: Mr. Samson Whisman . . . Various Other Speakers

July 18-23 . . . Grades 9-12 Speaker: Rev. Jim Vail

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TOMATOES - TOMATOES - EVERYWHERE



Cally and Mildred Turner look at some ripe red tomatoes just waiting to be picked



Mrs. Henley lets down the stalk to prevent overgrowth from shading maturing fruit

All Around Coffee County

Thomas C. Casaday

SOYBEAN VARIETIES

Time is getting short to cause a new flush of weeds to come up.

To control, be sure to use one of the over-the-top herbicides. There are a number available such as paraquat, paraquat or Butoxy, Attac (for coffee weed), Blazer (for wild citrus), Basagran or Dynapic. Be sure to follow directions carefully, and use either a broadcast or band application.

You can save money by using a band application. However, most growers will go ahead and use the broadcast application.

Because of all the variations in woodland characteristics and ownership objectives, no general approach to management of small woodland is not possible.

The rain we had was ideal to get a good stand. You will almost always fail if you plant beans in dry soil.

Usually a soil test every three years is sufficient.

Number 2 is to keep your lawn mowed blade sharp.

You don't want to beat your lawn off.

Number 3, raise your blade one-fourth inch every month after you start mowing May 1, raise the blade one-fourth inch July 1, another one-fourth inch August 1, and possibly another one-fourth inch September 1.

Coffee County 4-H Club members who won top winners in the county will be attending the 4-H Round-up in Troy Tuesday and Wednesday.

Those attending are: Vickie Bookstrom, Ragan Baker, Sandra Walker, Suzanne Lasseter, Stan Walker, Gina Hilton, from Kinston.

LyDona Frazee, from Zion Chapel; Bryan McLeod, Jennifer Flowers, DeWayne Chancellor, Barbara Lippert, Rhonda Baker, Robert Routzong, Donnie Hussey; from Marion, Michael Herrington, Ashli Hamilton, Hollie Hamilton; from Elba - Kevin Killingsworth, Dawn Smith, Louise Fillimon, Matthew Morrow; from Tuscumbia - Denise Smith, Scottie Lee; and from Enterprise - Glenn Logsdon, Linda Ellis, Kevin Wilson, Kim Wilson.

PROFIT ROBBERS

By tomorrow morning we will probably have 100 billion tiny beggarweed plants, coffee weeds, bristly starbursts, plants, and weeds growing in upland fields.

Theodore Roosevelt was the first U.S. President to ride in an automobile.

"The wetlands issue discussed

is highly reputable self-employed consulting foresters that you can hire to obtain a full range of services.

The Cooperative Extension Service and Soil Conservation Service have developed professional staffs to assist you in caring for your lands.

In many cases, financial help is available from government cost-sharing programs such as FIP and ACP.

AFC Notes Your Forest Land - Enjoyment And Profit

Many landowners feel that trees will grow with or without their efforts and therefore do not see need for management. But understand, in unmanaged gardens, may produce only weeds and inferior products. Good trees and a healthy productive forest take years of care.

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The demand for timber in the United States will exceed supply to 2010, if present rates of consumption and recent tree growth rates do not increase.

The future also brings stepped up demands for the host of other forest services that are so essential to the welfare of the nation.

Speaking of mowing lawns, we are people cutting their grass with children within a few feet of the discharge side of the lawn mower. What a dangerous practice this is!

NUMBER 4 IS TO USE GRASS AND KILLERS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR SO THAT YOU WILL ONLY HAVE PURE LAWN GRASS TO FERTILIZE, WATER AND CARE OF.

NUMBER 5 IS TO GET PAST 20 INCHES OF GROWTH ON A PLANT.

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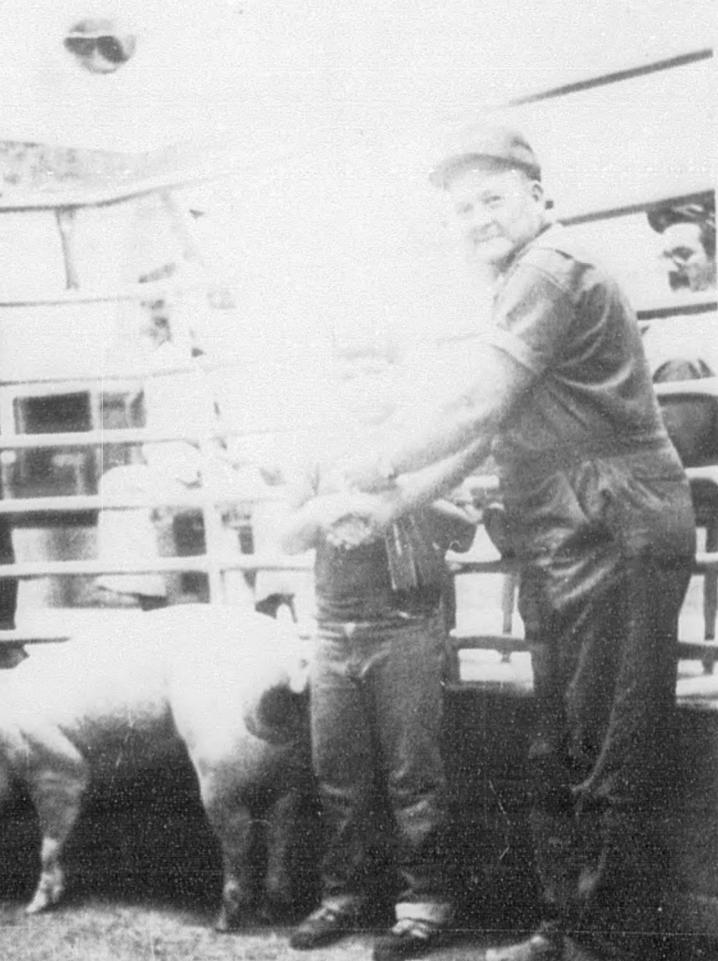
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MARKET HOG CHAMPION Michael Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stewart, Jack and a fifth grader at Zion Chapel had the 4-H Market Hog Champion at the event held recently at the Farmers Livestock Co-op Barn in Elba. Presenting the award was Mack Donaldson, Rt. 2, Elba, a director of the Coffee County Farm Bureau who is a sponsor of the event.

Horticulture Tips

Dan J. Presley

As we head into summer, insects become more of a nuisance to us. I am going to discuss three different insects in my article today.

Webworms

I have noticed a lot of webworms in pecan trees this year already. The webworm is a pale yellowish black, spindly caterpillar about an inch long. These caterpillars spin a web over the foliage and feed on the foliage in the web.

Ground water supplies are threatened," he added, "wildlife habitat is affected, and the very way of life of our people is changed when our few remaining acres of swamps and marshlands are reduced or harmed."

The Soil Conservation Service is the lead agency in the development of river bank protection studies which are not controlled, they can completely cover the tree by fall. The only insecticide that is recommended is Sevin. If a homeowner can buy it, control webworms is Sevin. It is recommended that you as a homeowner can buy it, control webworms and this service will be completed by 1982 or 1983.

The Soil Conservation Service is over 86,000 acres of land classed as wetlands in Alabama. Roberts notes, are all the inhabitants living near these areas, both human and wildlife, are influenced by any change in conditions on these lands.

"Not all wetlands are commercial forestland," he said.

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CAUTION

Let me encourage you to be safe when applying insecticides. Insecticides are safe when used as directed.

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PROBATE JUDGE Marion Brunson signs a proclamation designating "Beef for Father's Day" as Mrs. Louise Jones watches. Mrs. Jones is president of the Coffee County CowBelles.

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Cook Chevrolet Donates Films To EHS

Lloyd Lewis' Auto Mechanics Class at Elba High School has had an added learning aide to their curriculum - a library of films donated by Cook Chevrolet of Elba. The 110 film strips - most of them unused - and a projector were turned over to

the department in April. "They will be a real asset to us," said Lewis. Manuals enclosed with each strip provide corresponding written information.

Material covered in these educational aides include electrical systems, trans-

A TRIBUTE TO FATHERS

Who Will Take Care Of Daddy?

Who will take care of Daddy - who will it be? Everyone will want him. I'm sure you'll agree; Let's call a meeting and gather the clan And get it all over as soon as we can.

In such a large family, I'm sure there is one Who will warm him with love so he won't mind the cold When Mother is gone and Dad has grown old? Will nobody want him - Oh yes there is one Waiting to love him - it's God's only Son.

It's strange how we thought he'd never wear out, But see how he looks - it's heartbreak and worry no doubt. His eyesight has failed - his mind is still good, He may give you advice, but he thinks that he should.

When people get old there's not many who care; They have to have a home - the question is - where?

Remember the times you used to say, "Dad - Can I have the car?" and you always were glad When he'd say "Yes, but don't stay out late." You'd get on the car and go get your date.

When you were small he'd hold you and kiss you and call you "his man."

He loved you so much - yet you don't understand.

It's a wonderful dad and he loves you so - It's gonna be bad when he has to go, It'll be too late to show him you love him after he's gone. Just an hour a day - or at least once a week Would maybe - somehow - help him to sleep.

missions, differentials, etc. Although prepared specifically for auto mechanics, the films and films provide basic information which applies to other model cars as well.

Compared with other area schools, Lewis said, "we at Elba have a good Auto Mechanics class. A minimum enrollment of 45 is required to offer the class and it is filled every year." He further stated they had two girls last year, and two this year, with one participating in the skills contest.

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***Beverly Cox of Elba was elected to the office of councilwoman of her Girls State City, Happy Heights, on Monday, June 4.

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***Lotte Lee Hamm III, a graduating senior in the pre-medical curriculum, has been chosen as the 1973 recipient for the Comer Medical Foundation Excellence in Natural Science of the Physical Science field. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Hamm Jr. of Decatur; grandparents are Mrs. L.L. Hamm Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. G.P. Miles, all of Elba.

***Pamela Fanning Kendrick, age 5, "What God Made" ... Of all the books I've read, / I like the Bibles and what God said. / To love others every day / And show your love in every way. / The

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***Miss Marilyn Taylor received a B.A. degree from the University of South Alabama in Mobile on June 3. She is presently employed as a private center as a counselor in Autauga County.

***Through the Keyhole, by Mrs. Robert Cannon: The telephone person of Mrs. Elba is Betsy Inman, daughter of Sis and Sonny Inman, who was recently interviewed on a Dothan television program. Betsy is a graduate of Kinston High School and a present senior in the College of Arts and Sciences of Pre-Med, has made a straight A average for his spring semester work. He is presently employed at Drury Hotel.

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Sports

VIEWS FROM THE PRESSBOX
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SUMMER RECREATION IS A LONG WAY FROM BEING OVER

The Babe Ruth baseball season ends Monday night and the Dixie Youth baseball is winding down, but the recreation department's summer activities are far from being over!

The girls' softball league (for ages 9-12) has already chosen teams and the gals are practicing hard to get ready. The girls' league was reborn two years ago and is growing each summer as it becomes more popular. This summer there will be four teams and I promise you it will be fun to watch.

The minor league baseball teams will be organized soon and that's when the action really starts! This league is for boys 9-12 and four teams will battle it out each night to see who'll win. Everybody gets to play in minor league, no matter what city you live in. The field at one time, and there is no stop-action, believe me.

The men's church league will start in early July and it should provide some exercise for those of us who long ago hung up our cleats. The league will not compete with the men's softball team, but will go to church and want to have fun. A ringers allowed in this league—it's for those wanting to get a little exercise and play a little ball.

Back right to Babe Ruth. Don't forget that Elba will host the district tournament in July, with Elba, Opp, Andalusia, Brundidge and Geneva competing. The Elba team should be very good, so local fans could have plenty to cheer about.

Yep, this summer still has a long way to go!

MINOR LEAGUE IS BAILED UP

The men's softball league has now completed its first session and the league has been divided into two divisions. The divisions were initiated several years ago to make the league more balanced, and it has proven to be a good idea. This year, for example, the bottom five teams all had losing records, while the top five teams all had winning records. In the "A" division, however, these teams will play only each other, and every game will be a hotly contested affair. Up in the "A" Division" there won't be any more easy wins—only tough games, the way it should be. The divisions lead to better games and much more interest. Go out and see em tonight.

THE NEW FIELDS ARE COMING ALONG.

The actions picked up last week as the new ball complex was finished and the baseball fields began to take the complex in shape to play on. I went up to the park Friday and was surprised to see two fields almost in good enough shape to play on. The grass had been cut, some holes filled in and they looked pretty good to me! The third field is a little behind others, but to the grass not catching and some neglect are to blame for that, but the others will be ready to play on very soon.

If you haven't been out to the new parks, go out. The road is dirt, but it's in good shape, and I think you'll be surprised (especially with the pressbox).

A LAST WORD ON SOFTBALL

The Elba Athletic Club held a 15-team softball tournament on June 3-4 and it went like clockwork with everyone involved having a good time. I had to go out of state and missed Saturday's action, however, I just turned the tournament over to the club and they did a great job.

I'd like to thank my wife Vicki, vice-president Ray Goodson, all the umpires, the Recreation Department and all the players for helping the club raise some money. I promise you it will be put to good use.

NEW CLASSIFICATIONS DRAW MIXED REVIEWS

The Alabama High School Athletic Association's decision to go to a "six-class" system in 1984 has drawn mixed reviews from area coaches. The favorable reaction comes from those who feel it's time to go to six classes twice as many) and a more equal division among school population. On the other side, the complainers heard most often with scheduling, due to the smaller areas. Both sides have good and bad points, however, I'll have to go with the side of the plan. The smaller areas shouldn't cause scheduling problems . . . we should longer do teams to have six or seven teams to qualify for state; now they can play their two or three area foes and then play teams close by that will create a lot of fan interest and fill stadiums. As far as money, it's got to help, because the playoffs and tournaments will be more expensive.

I know a lot of my readers will say I like the six-class system because Elba is in a three-area team, and they won't be totally wrong. However, I don't think it's right for a school with only 296 students to be judged equally with schools having 574 (Greenville) or even more. In the new classification Elba is ranked 61st out of 65 according to popularity. That means we won't fare being a powerhouse. Like I stated earlier, I like it and am looking forward to '84. Heck, I'm looking forward to '83!

THE ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB NEEDS YOU

The Elba Athletic Club will begin its 1983-84 season in a couple of weeks and I can assure you it needs each and everyone of you to make the coming year a success. The club is a non-profit organization (if ever there was one), but it plays a valuable part in the success of athletics in Elba, donating over \$10,000 annually into helping the school's athletic department operate. All money is raised through caring people who purchase ads, buy programs, join the club and make donations.

If you'd like to help, just let me know -- we'll begin a membership drive soon and we'll need you to call on prospective members.

WEEKLY BASEBALL HONORS

This week's baseball spotlight shines on the hitters in both leagues. In Dixie Youth the "Player of the Week" is Matt Henderson, catcher for the Astros. He went six for eight last week, with three doubles and one home run. Looked six runs—certainly a week to remember! Up in Babe Ruth the honoree is Dodger pitcher Derek Young, who went five for eight, with three doubles, three rbi's and three runs scored. Who said pitchers couldn't hit?

White Sox Clinch Babe Ruth League Crown

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Reds 6

Stan Sauls tossed a 4-hitter and the Reds took off to a 6-1 win over the A's. The Reds also managed only 4 hits, but took advantage of 3 walks and 8 errors to claim the victory. Gappa Wiser got 2 hits for the Reds, while Linda Magwood and Chris Cox both got 1. Getting hits for the A's were, Leon Norris, John Osburn, Bubba Craighead and Jason Johnson.

White Sox 7

Dodgers 6

The White Sox rallied in the closing innings to nimbly the Dodgers 7-6. The Dodgers led 6-3 after four-innings and appeared headed for a win.

Babe Ruth Schedule

Thursday, June 16

6:00-White Sox vs. A's

8:00-Reds vs. Dodgers

Monday, June 20

6:00-Dodgers vs. White Sox

8:00-A's vs. Reds

Wednesday, June 21

6:00-Pirates vs. Astros

8:00-Reds vs. White Sox

Friday, June 23

6:00-Reds vs. White Sox

8:00-Pirates vs. Astros

Saturday, June 24

6:00-Reds vs. White Sox

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Sunday, June 25

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Sunday, July 2

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Monday, July 3

6:00-Reds vs. White Sox

8:00-Pirates vs. Astros

Tuesday, July 4

6:00-Reds vs. White Sox

8:00-Pirates vs. Astros

Wednesday, July 5

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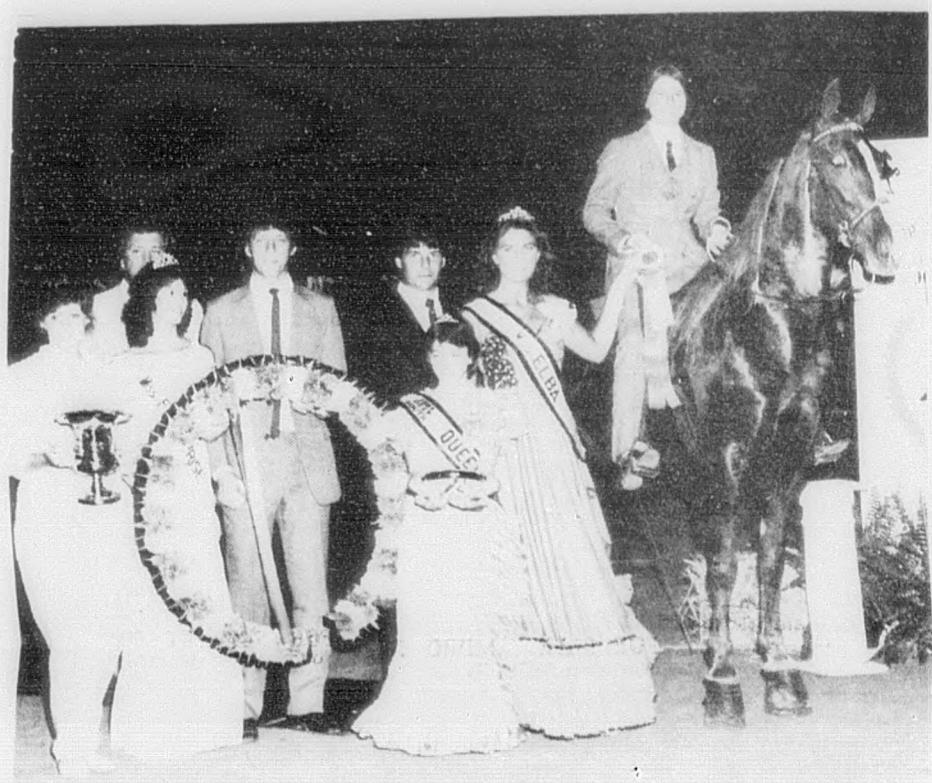
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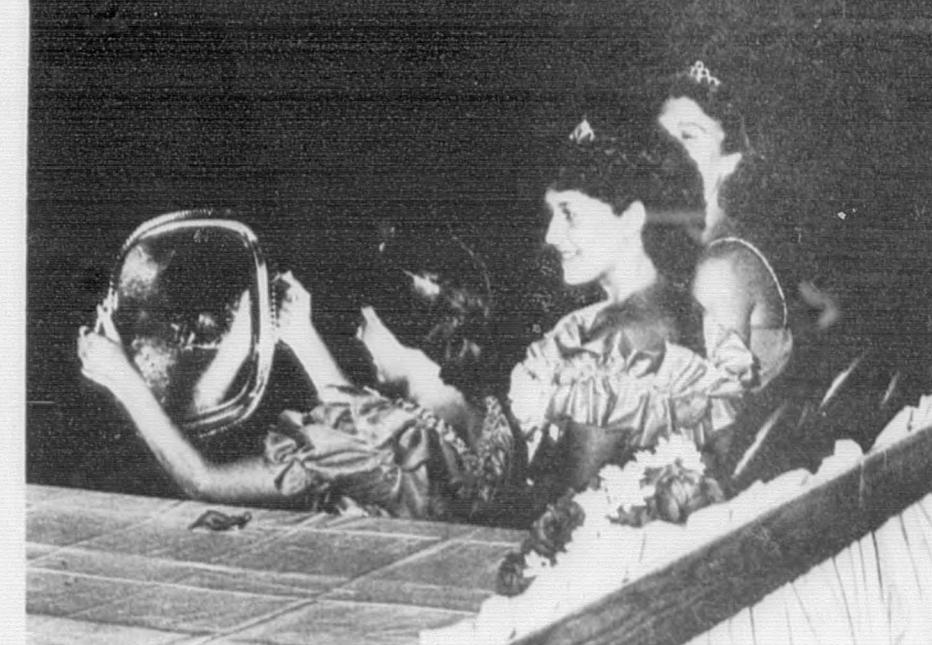
Area beauty queens were present to present the winners with ribbons and silver. (Racking Review photo)



AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP WINNER . . . was "Ice Capades" - Becky Teal up for Jackie Jones and Becky Teal of Cochran, Georgia. (Racking Review photo)



ONE LAST LOOK . . . an entry gets a final check before going into the arena to compete for a ribbon.



1983 Deep South Queen Lisa Lindsey makes sure every hair is in place by using a silver tray as a mirror.



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"I've been to many times that Mayor Bob English can even pronounce my name! This year at the Fifth Annual Deep South Racking Horse Show was held May 28th and, as usual, it was a well-produced, well-run event. They drew 141 entries in 22 classes with perfect weather conditions. The 1982 show had 130 entries in 18 classes with 90 degree weather, so this one was about the same size show, but the weather was much better. The judging was unusual. Mark Hess, Wilford James, and C.H. (Chuck) McGhee tied triple-times in 17 out of 22 classes, including the first ten in a row. They were very consistent and left little room for the usual postshow discussion by those who thought they should have done better. Jimmy Yeager won five blue ribbons, Becky Teal three, and Darby Oglesby and Jim Crew Stables each won two.

In the Championship class, Jessie Yeager and Vivian Lassiter of Lassiter's GAMBLER'S ACE "styled" their way to the winner's circle. They looked sharp. In early months of May, Jessie won three championship classes on three different horses. If anyone were keeping records, this one would top the books for a long time. Gerald Campbell was second on Gleec Low's class 15 2 mare, SHADES PRINCESS (Bobby Bohannon brought R.L. Turner's SUNSHINE BOY in third).

There were seven entries in the Amateur Championship class. The very stylish ICE CAPADES scored a triple-one win over W.H. Williams and the high-headed INTRUDER'S DEACON. Timmy Brown brought his good MIGHTY PARTICULAR in third. The ICE CAPADES were the big (ten-year-olds) Amateur Owned and Trained class with another triple-one performance. Jackie Jones' classmate tied first six times. Bill Jacobs and his consistent TAX BREAK were second in the Owned and Trained class. Tom Wilkinson rode INTRUDER'S DEACON to third. In Ladies Amateur, Dee Torcise rode a very nice SUPERSTOCK II to the blue. This big, black stallion is not completely trained, but overrode several people at the show to say, "That's the one I'd like to take home." He's a good horse. Jan Watson rode TOUGH N HIDE and her horse is getting better with each passing week. Angela Kessler, who had everyone envious of her "Florida tan," was third on STINGER. Pete Dorsey rode a good 48.0 MISTAKE to the blue in Men's Amateur. Henry Wheeler was second on TRIPLE CROWN, and Mrs. Campbell and her son KING MAGIC consistently won all three gins in an impressive show. The Whee Williams was second on Leon Boatner's good WEE WILLIE. I visited with Judge Hess after the show and he said, "You know, if I made a mistake I was going to tie Wille's horse first-he's good!" Hess is right. Jack Brewer was third on AGAINST THE GRAIN. Bradshaw did not finish the CALICO KID (2nd), and Odell Walker and SENSATIONAL BEAU (3rd).

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